

Chan, Janice

From: Robert Phalen
Sent: Monday, May 09, 2016 8:09 AM
To: 'Jennifer Peterson'
Cc: Shari Yeatts
Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Jennifer,

What else do you need in response from me?

Per the complaint.....

A 6 page letter was sent to the ADEQ WQD Director, USDA Regional Director, and Maricopa County Dept of Public Health Director via email and certified mail. Re: "Complaint Against Hickman's Family Farms and Hickman's Egg Ranch, Inc. of Tonopah, Arizona for Violations of Nutrient Management Plan and Conditions of General Permit for Concentrated Animal Feeding Operations."

Complainants are concerned about "suspected Nutrient Management Plan violations" and "violations of the AZPDES CAFO General Permit."

Do you have a copy of that letter as well?

-Rp

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From: Jennifer Peterson [mailto:Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov]
Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 2:46 PM
To: Robert Phalen <rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>
Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Robert,

The official complaint is attached.

Thank you,

Jennifer

From: Robert Phalen [mailto:rphalen@hickmanseggs.com]
Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 9:57 AM
To: Jennifer Peterson <Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>; Emily Bonanni <Bonanni.Emily@azdeq.gov>

Cc: Shari Yeatts <syeatts@hickmanseggs.com>; Billy G. Hickman <bghickman@hickmanseggs.com>; Jim Manos <jmanos@hickmanseggs.com>; Paul Yeatts <pyeatts@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: RE: Hickmans complaint

Jennifer,

I have copied our notification (2-12-16) to Emily Bonanni (ADEQ AQD) post incident below.

Once you have an official complaint entered – please forward it to me with any additional information you may need.

If you have any questions, please feel to contact me at any time.

-Rp

Robert Phalen

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From: Shari Yeatts

Sent: Friday, February 12, 2016 11:03 AM

To: Emily Bonanni <Bonanni.Emily@azdeq.gov>

Cc: Jim Manos <jmanos@hickmanseggs.com>; Billy G. Hickman <bghickman@hickmanseggs.com>; Paul Yeatts <pyeatts@hickmanseggs.com>

Subject: Tonopah - 02/08/2016

Hello Emily,

This is in response to the complaints filed to your agency regarding the accidental spill on Indian School on Feb. 8th, 2016 at approximately, 1:05pm. I spoke with Jim Manos this morning after your call. He would like for me to go ahead and send you the timelines and evidence of clean up, see (photos) attached.

1:05pm – Driver notified his supervisor, Supervisor contacted Terry Burt who immediately dispatched to the site with a bucket loader, shovels, and brooms.

1:10- spoke to an environmental consultant regarding next steps

1:15pm- called the street sweeper, they stated they would send an emergency response out to the site by end of day.

1:30- Notified Senior Management Team, Owners and CFO, Jim Manos

1:45pm – See attached

5:10pm – Street sweeper arrived

5:45pm – see attached

Jim and Billy contacted Paul immediately and they ceased the movement until Thomas Road was opened on Wednesday, 2/10/2016. We will use that route for this activity moving forward.

Please let me know if I can further assist, thank you.

Shari Yeatts

Compliance Manager
Cell Phone- 623-692-8451
Thank you.

From: Jennifer Peterson [<mailto:Peterson.Jennifer@azdeq.gov>]
Sent: Friday, May 06, 2016 9:37 AM
To: Robert Phalen <rphalen@hickmanseggs.com>
Subject: Hickmans complaint

Robert,

Attached is the most recent Hickman complaint.

Thank you,

Jennifer

Jennifer L. Peterson

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